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EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.
 - [X] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
 - [] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the total number of months checked below [fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)]:

	Extension	Fee f	or other than	Fee for	
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[]	one month	\$	110.00	\$	55.00
ĨĨ	two months	\$	390.00	\$	195.00
ίi	three months	\$	890.00	\$	445.00
ĺĺ	four months	\$	1,390.00	\$	695.00
				Fee:	\$0.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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Total	134	Minus	134	ı	x 9=\$	\$	0 x 18	\$ 00
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP CLAIM

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- c. [] No additional fee for claims is required.
- d. [X] Total additional fee for claims required \$ 00

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RESPONSE

Sir:

Applicant requests consideration of the pending claims in the above-identified patent application based on the remarks herein.

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